

**Remarks**

The specification has been amended in paragraph [0095] of the published application to correct a simple translation error that occurred during translation of the original Japanese-language PCT specification into the English language. Because the original Japanese-language specification was correct as filed, Applicants submit that correction of a translation error does not add prohibited new matter or raise any issues requiring a new search or consideration.

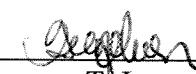
None of the pending claims have been further amended.

In view of this supplemental response as well as Applicants' remarks as submitted in the response previously filed on November 21, 2007, Applicants believe that the subject application is in condition for allowance.

**Except** for issues payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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